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In re Application of:

J. W. Eberhard et al.

: Group Art Unit: 2878

Application No. 09/682,389

: Examiner: T.J. Moran

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: Response to Paper No. 1103

For: SYSTEMS AND METHOD FOR DETECTING IONIZING RADIATION  
WITH AN IMAGING SYSTEM

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

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SIR:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated November 19, 2003, Applicants respectfully request that the above-identified application be amended as follows.